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OUTLINES.

Fire at Greensboro, Ala.; loss $54,000. —— Calvin Elliott, negro, hanged at Lincolnton, N. C. —— Three oyster skiffs capsized at Morehead City; one man was drowned. —— The American doctors in Paris who held an autopsy on the body of Mrs. Ellen Gore, accept the theory of an accident causing her death. —— All prospects for a settlement of the coal strike outside the commission have come to an end. —— President Castro, of Venezuela, says the revolution has received its death-blow; that the government will meet all its obligations and questions with European governments can be settled amicably. —— Colonial Secretary Chamberlain and his wife have gone to South Africa. —— The Socialist organ in Berlin ridicules the idea of the late Herr Krupp being called benevolent; the pension system of his firm, it says, was simply a species of refined swindling. —— Col. Thos. Ochiltree died yesterday at Hot Springs, Va. —— South Carolina is to have a million dollar cotton mill at Marlboro. —— The Cuban government is taking a strong stand against strike disorders in Havana —— New York markets: Money on call was quoted firm at 4@5 per cent; cotton—quiet at 8.50c; flour was steady; wheat——spot seady, No. 2 78½c; corn—spot weak, No. 2 63c; oats—spot steady, No. 2 36c; rosin firm; spirits turpentine dull.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 25

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 68 degrees; 8 P. M., 71 degrees; maximum, 73 degrees; minimum, 62 degrees; mean, 68 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 1.96.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 3 feet.

STORM WARNING.

Southwest storm signals were displayed at 10:40 A. M. The storm was then central in Tennessee moving east northeast. Brisk to high winds along the South Atlantic Coast were expected.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—For North Carolina: Fair and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair; cooler on coast; fresh southwest to south winds, becoming west.

Port Almanac---November 26.

Sun Rises	6.47 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.47 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 04 M.
High Water at Southport	5.30 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	8.00 P. M.

There were in addition to volcanic eruptions in Guatemala also some Hunter eruptions.

When Herr Krupp, the big gun maker of Germany, died that country lost one of its big 'uns.

It is reported that the volcanic eruptions in Guatemala have not only destroyed all the plantations in the volcano zone, but caused the death of over 7,000 people.

As there is an unusually large crop of turnips in this State, and very fine, too, this year, it offers an inducement to some enterprising people to go into the "orange marmalade" business.

Rev. Sam Jones, who is out West somewhere, mauling the devil, writes the *Atlanta Journal* that the crops are so heavy that the railroads can't move them. Another of the results of the Dingley tariff.

The police of Philadelphia have discovered that there is a "syndicate," which operates on both sides of the Atlantic, the object of which is to lure girls to lives of shame. And yet some people say there is no hell.

Since 1889 the money donations made by John D. Rockefeller to the Chicago University aggregate $10,176,000; those by other persons $5,800,000, making a total of $15,976,000. An institution so well heeled financially ought to be able to invest $50,000 in bugs, while it has all these big bugs behind it.

The St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* (Rep.) rises to remark that "there is no good reason" why the South should go solidly Democratic. Down this way we think there is a good deal better reason for the South going solidly Democratic than there is for the North going solidly the other way. It depends altogether on the way you view it.

And now Mrs. Foxhall Keene has become indignant because her husband has been fined for scorching with his automobile beyond the law limit at Oyster Bay, and threatens to emigrate and join the W. W. Ass-tor and Bradley-Martin colony in England. What kind of a country have we anyhow, when rich people can't override the law and ride over other people without being called to account for it?

BRILLIANT STATE WEDDING.

Miss Daisy Holt, of Burlington, Bride of Prominent Charleston Man—Attendants From Wilmington.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

BURLINGTON, N. C., Nov. 25.—The wedding of Miss Daisy Holt, of this place, and Mr. Walter Guerry Green, of Charleston, S. C., was perhaps the most brilliant home wedding which has ever been celebrated in this State. There were present at the wedding and at the reception following over 150 guests, among them some of the most prominent citizens of the State.

The wedding took place at the elegant home of the bride's brother, Mr. W. I. Holt, and the entire home was most brilliantly and elaborately decorated. The color scheme was in pink, carnations and LaFrance roses being used, with an abundance of Southern smilax.

The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. L. F. Guerry, of Waverly Mills, S. C., the uncle of the groom, the Episcopal service being used.

The bride entered on the arm of her brother, Mr. Robert Lacy Holt, by whom she was given away. The maid of honor was Miss Sarah Kenan, of Wilmington, who was most charmingly gowned in an exquisite costume of nile green, and carried pink carnations. The bride was gowned in a dainty costume of white, covered with point lace, and wore a Duchesse lace veil, pinned with a harvest moon of diamonds, the gift of the groom. The best man was Mr. Frederick Green, of Charleston, brother of the groom, and the gentlemen were in Prince Albert suits.

After the wedding there was an elegant reception, and in the receiving party were Mrs. Walter L. Holt, of Fayetteville; Mrs. E. C. Holt, of Wilmington; Mrs. Jas. H. Holt and Mrs. W. I. Holt, of Burlington; Mrs. Geo. T. Pringle, of Charleston, and Mrs. Wm. T. Beidler, of Baltimore.

The menu was a delightful one, prepared by Fiedderman, of Baltimore. The wedding gifts were very handsome, over two hundred friends sending remembrances in silver, cut glass, costly pictures and other things.

The bridal couple left this afternoon for the South, where they will spend their honeymoon before returning to Charleston, their future home.

Delightful music was rendered during the reception by the Italian band of Wilson, which also furnished the music at a delightful german last night, complimentary to the bridal party, which was attended by over forty couples. After this there were receptions at Mr. Lawrence S. Holt's and Col. James H. Holt's.

The bride is one of the most beautiful and popular young women in the State, the daughter of the late James H. Holt, the pioneer of the cotton mill industry in the State, and is a niece of the late Governor Holt. The groom is a prominent young business man of Charleston, S. C., of a distinguished family. Their marriage was the social event of the year in this section.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Rosin was quoted on the local market yesterday at $1.30@$1.35 per barrel; spirits firm at 50½ cents for machine made casks.

— By deed filed for record yesterday Thos. H. Wright transferred to B. N. Bowden for $400, house and lot at northwestern intersection of Third and Brunswick streets, 33x70 feet in size.

— By deed filed for record yesterday A. David transferred to Camille Pennington Hinton, lot on south side of Market between Sixth and Seventh streets; fronting 33 feet on Market and running into the block 165 feet; consideration $2,500.

— The Postoffice Department, locally, will observe the following hours Thanksgiving Day: Carriers will make one delivery and one collection in the morning. General delivery and stamp windows will be open from 9 to 10 A. M. Money order department will be closed all day.

Some Large Cotton Vessels.

The British steamer *Harbart*, 3,114 tons, Capt. Bowling, arrived yesterday from New York for a cargo of cotton from the compresses of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son. The British tramp *Hermiston*, Capt. Bain, which arrived Monday, also to Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, is said to be the largest cotton steamer that ever entered the port. She has a displacement of 2,839 tons, and will carry perhaps more than 16,000 bales of cotton in a single cargo.

The Storm Last Night.

The storm predicted by the Weather Bureau yesterday forenoon struck the city in its fiercest form shortly after midnight this morning. The wind came spasmodically and attained a very high velocity, but did no damage so far as could be learned. The rain fell in torrents, too, and the streets were flooded.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. W. Noble—Land posted.
J. A Springer & Co.—A hard pull.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Strayed—Setter puppy.
Wanted—Country man.

One hundred picture frames at cost at Taylor's Studio. †

THE FEDERAL COURT.

Large Number of Cases, Several From New Hanover, Disposed of Yesterday.

THE SMITH DAMAGE SUIT.

Judgment for Plaintiff, Who Sued for $100,000—Ben F. Bryant, Formerly Cafe Clerk Here, Failed to Appear to Answer Charge.

Several interesting cases were called in the United States District Court yesterday, but they were either continued for witnesses in behalf of the government or because of the non-appearance of the defendants.

One of these was the case of young Benj. F. Bryant, who formerly clerked in the Dixie Cafe in this city and who was charged with abstracting letters from the boxes in the Wilmington postoffice by means of false keys. Friends of the young man in Nash county, his native home, came to his rescue when he was placed in jail here several months ago on the charge, and deposited a certified check in the sum of $300 for his appearance at the present term of court. Yesterday the defendant was called out and the bond will be forfeited, unless sufficient excuse is brought forward by his bondsmen.

Several other cases of more than passing notice from this and other counties were also called and continued on account of the absence of Postoffice Inspector F. N. Davis, who is quite sick with fever in Raleigh.

On the Circuit Court docket two cases were taken up during the day. In the damage suit of N. L. Smith against Ludden & Bates, judgment was entered for plaintiff. In another suit entitled Willie Watters vs. Western Union Telegraph Co., for damages, Messrs. Stevens, Beasley & Weeks, attorneys for plaintiff, took a non-suit. The case is one in which $500 damage was sued for by reason of the alleged negligence of defendant in transmitting a message.

The suit of N. L. Smith against Ludden & Bates was to recover a large amount from the defendants for alleged defamation of character, growing out of a recent suit in the State courts, in which Smith was charged with embezzlement, but was found not guilty. The amount asked for was $100,000,

A compromise was effected by which the Ludden & Bates' Southern Music House pays to Mr. Smith $600. The suit for damages was originally brought in the Superior Court, but after a hard fight it was transferred to the Federal Court.

Court convened at 10 A. M., pursuant to adjournment, with all the officers of the court present. The following proceedings of the day appear from the clerk's docket:

James T. Wright, Cumberland county, retailing; defendant waives bill and submits as upon information filed; prayer for judgment continued and defendant discharged.

H. C. Dillard, Columbus county; sending obscene letter through the mails; continued for the United States on account of absence of Postoffice Inspector F. N. Davis.

B. F. Bryant, New Hanover county; abstracting letters from the United States mail; defendant called and failed; judgment nisi, sci fa and capias.

Lewis T. Mills, New Hanover, abstracting mail from the United States rural delivery; continued for the United States in the absence of Postoffice Inspector F. N. Davis.

John Nichols, Columbus county; obstructing the United States mail; defendant discharged by the court for want of evidence.

Alice Griffin, Columbus county, retailing; defendant submits; judgment suspended and defendant discharged.

William Williams, Columbus county; defendant submits and is sentenced to 60 days in jail; $100 fine and cost.

Dick Smith, Scotland county; retailing; defendant called and failed; judgment nisi, sci fa and capias.

Calvin Pipkins, retailing; defendant called and failed; judgment nisi, sci fa and capias.

Robert Revels, Robeson county; retaililing; verdict guilty; 30 days in jail; $100 fine and cost.

W. H. Anderson, Cumberland county, illicit distilling; continued.

J. Q. Parker, Cumberland county; illicit distilling; continued; 10 days allowed to renew bond.

H. D. Duncan, Columbus caunty, continued from last term for costs; judgment suspended and defendant discharged.

West Cain, Cumberland county; retailing; judgment suspended, defendant having been in jail four months.

Jesse Jones, Cumberland county; retailing; judgment suspended, defendant having been in jail five months.

Alex. Robinson, alias William Robinson, Cumberland county; retailing; verdict not guilty.

Harriet DuPree, Scotland county; retailing; verdict not guilty.

James Jenkins, Robeson county; retailing; verdict guilty; four months in jail; $100 fine and costs.

The following witnesses were called and failed: Thos. Walton, Ed. Waters, Herbert Ross, H. J. Willoughby, B. L. Gibson.

W. J. Currie and J. M. Edwards were summoned as tales jurors for the day.

Bit a Policeman's Finger.

There was only one case for trial in the police court yesterday. A "gay and festive" Federal Court attendant who wanted to have things all his own way in the vicinity of Fourth and Nun streets Monday night, was landed in the police station until morning. His arrest was not accomplished, however, until he had severely bitten a finger of Policeman J. A. Martin. He paid the costs in the mayor's court yesterday and went his way rejoicing.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Murchison bank building on Chesnut street. Services this evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

TOBACCO WAREHOUSE CO.

Special Meeting of the Board of Directors Yesterday Afternoon—Subscriptions to Stock Rapidly Coming In.

A special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Wilmington Tobacco Warehouse Company was held at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, but very little business of public interest was transacted. Mr. Geo. O. Gaylord, vice president of the company, presided and Secretary James Kyle was present in his official capacity. Directors present were Messrs. W. B. Cooper, S. P. McNair, Jos. H. Watters, R. R. Stone, H. L. Vollers, M. W. Jacobi and Frank Andrews, of Onslow county.

The several committees recently appointed to solicit subscriptions to the increased capital stock of the enterprise, made encouraging reports. It was ascertained that about $14,000 has been secured and only about $1,000 additional is required to bring the amount to the maximum recommended by the stockholders. The soliciting committees were continued with instructions to swell the capital to the outside limit, it being especially desired to interest as many people as possible in the movement.

Mr. James Dodd, of Pilot Mountain, N. C., last year manager of the Whiteville tobacco warehouse, was present and gave the directors a number of pointers about the management and conduct of well regulated markets. Mr. Dodd has been in the tobacco business all his life and understands every detail from the planting and cultivation of the weed to its curing and sale. The plan of the Wilmington Company is to employ a competent man to give instruction to farmers throughout this territory and to aid them in entering into tobacco cultivation.

Mr. Frank Andrews, of Onslow, a member of the Board, said that experiments in his county demonstrated that proximity to the sea coast has no effect upon the quality of the weed grown. Mr. Dodd also said that the experience last year of Mr. Drew, of Brunswick county, showed that good tobacco can be raised as well in a salt atmosphere as elsewhere.

The meeting yesterday afternoon was adjourned to the same hour Friday afternoon, when the question will receive still further consideration. It is likely that a manager will be employed at this meeting and that he will be commissioned to begin at once a canvass of this territory with a view to encouraging farmers to cultivate tobacco.

THE WILMINGTON NAVAL RESERVES.

Annual Election of Commissioned Officers Held Last Night—Other Notes.

Wilmington Division of Naval Reserves held its annual election of commissioned officers at an enthusiastic meeting held last night in the armory on Princess street.

Mr. H. M. Chase was unanimously re-elected Lieutenant Commanding, and Mr. N. N. Davis was also unanimously re-elected Lieutenant, Junior Grade. Mr. S. K. DeVaney was chosen without a dissenting voice for the office of Ensign, which has been vacant since the resignation of Ensign Morgan Skipper about eight months ago.

After the military session of the Division had adjourned, the civic organization was called together by President H. C. Howard and a number of matters pertaining to the welfare of the sailors were discussed. The Division is striving to make the armory as attractive as possible to its members and to that end a number of amusements are being provided. Mr. J. M. Murphy was commissioned last night to look into the matter of purchasing a parlor rifle for the shooting gallery recently established.

THANKSGIVING ON GOLF LINKS.

Tournament for Gentlemen on Grounds Near Delgado—Lunch Served.

Thanksgiving on the links of the Cape Fear Golf Club will be a notable one, made so by the large number of members and visitors who will spend the day on the grounds and at the club house to witness the gentlemen's handicap tournament, for which there are already a large number of entries. The contest will begin at 10 o'clock. Eighteen holes will be played, which is twice around the course. The first half will be in the morning and the second half in the afternoon. The tournament is for a number of prizes, chief among which is a silver loving cup.

Many members will spend the entire day on the grounds, and the ladies of the organization will serve lunch in the club house.

A tennis tournament is also being talked of for the day and all in all the occasion promises to be one of the most pleasant in the history of the club.

Dr. Richard J. Price Ill.

A brief item in a Raleigh paper yesterday morning stated that Dr. Price, a U. S. surgeon, who entered the service from Wilmington, was reported dying at Fort Baird, New Mexico, to which he went some time ago upon his return from the Philippines. Dr. Richard J. Price, of this city, is the surgeon referred to, but the STAR is very glad to know that the report as to his condition was very much exaggerated. Dr. Price is in rather feeble health, but the latest news from Fort Baird is that he is improving. His brother, Mr. Joe. Price, left Monday, via the Seaboard Air Line, to be with him in his illness.

DULL DAY'S SESSION.

New Hanover Superior Court Engaged Principally With Unimportant Cases.

QUARTETTE OF GAMBLERS.

Three of the Four Colored Sports Captured By Police, Were Found Guilty. Two Sentences to the Roads. Talesmen for To-Day.

No cases of importance were tried in the Superior Court yesterday, but quite a number of trivial matters were cleared from the docket.

Court met at 10 o'clock in the morning and Sheriff Stedman returned the talesmen ordered summoned for the day, with the exception of Geo. J. McMillan, Jas. M. Jessie, Jas. N. Shepard and R. H. Shepard, who were not found. W. F. F. Newton was excused by Judge Bryan.

One of the batches of gambling cases that recently went over from the Mayor's court was taken up in the afternoon and three of the four defendants were found guilty, but judgment was reserved in them until to day. In the midst of the trial of an unimportant case at 5:20 o'clock in the afternoon, a recess was taken until 10 o'clock this morning. The following cases appear from the clerk's docket as having been disposed of during the day:

G. W. Beaman, injury to personal property; called and failed; judgment nisi, sci fa and capias.

Joseph Johnson, larceny; verdict not guilty.

Jim Townsend, colored, rocking an Atlantic Coast Line train; called and failed; judgment nisi, sci fa and capias.

John Shepard, colored, carrying concealed weapons; called and failed; judgment nisi, sci fa and capias.

Rosa L. Anderson and Dave Powell, colored, f. and a.; called and failed; judgment nisi, sci fa and capias.

Wm. Bethea, colored, bigamy; not guilty.

Joseph Johnson colored carrying concealed weapons; sentenced to two month on county roads.

Joseph Johnson, assault with deadly weapon; sentenced to two months on the public roads of the county; sentence to commence at expiration of term prescribed above.

Richard Plummer, colored, disorderly conduct, appealed from Mayor's court; verdict guilty; judgment reserved.

Sadie Carter, colored, cruelty to animals; called and failed; judgment nisi.

Isaac Gambler, Ernest Blount, John Grady and Logan McKay, all colored; gambling; verdict guilty; as to Gambler, Blount and Grady and not guilty as to McKay; judgment reserved.

Archie McDuffie, colored, assault with deadly weapon; case on trial at 5:20 P. M. when a recess was taken until 10 A. M. to-day.

The following talesmen were drawn for service to-day: J. J. Moore, Daniel J. Prease, Chas. B. Bostick, L. D. Bordeaux, J. F. Baggett, V. V. Richardson, J. S. Eron, E. R. Foster, Jesse E. Smith, John B. King, T. W. Wood, J. W. Scott, Jr., J. C. Boesch, Joe Lippitt, W. C. Peterson, E. W. Manning.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice, Nov. 25th, 1902.

WOMEN'S LIST.

Jannie Bunting, Clie Dangerfield, Mary Dixon, Clara Fergest, Mary Framp, Mary Gallagher, Angieronly Glaurber, Bettie Harrison, A. C. Holton, Bella Howard, M. N. Howard, Lula Huggins, Sarah Madden, Lovie Mills, Minnie Oliver, Alma Payne, Mrs. Alfred Potter, Mattie H. Price, Dinah Reed, Emmer Scott, J. H. Sexton, Jamie Simons, Mary Simmons, Welthy Simmons, Ida Smith, Eugenia Stephenson, Miss Thompson, Mary C. Wales, Alice Williams.

MEN'S LIST.

N. P. Avery, S. A. Barber, J. C. Barg, W. S. Beneman, John Biggs, Lewis Bown, L. T. Boyan, John H. Brooks, Chas. T. Brown, L. R. Brown, Clem Bryant, Mr. Cannon, Forney E. J. Cotten, W. G. Daniel, Daniel Daws, T. M. Dowling, W. J. Dupree, Chas. D. Chambers, L. D. Dorman, W. W. Eason, Sol. Ealmon, Editor Atlantic Methodist, Prof. Epps, A. H. Ferris, J. M. Ford, M. R. Funchess, Thos. Glaspey, Haywood Green, Matt Hardman, G. B. Henderson, Artha Herring, W. F. Herring, John H. Hill, H. Hues, And. Jackson, Edward Jefferson, James Johnson, W. B. Jones, T. R. Jordan, W. S. Kelly, E. F. King, John King, Dudley Kneel, J. J. Latrum, Eli A. F. Lavallette, G. W. Lowry, Andrew W. McLean, Ben McMillan, B. F. Marshall, Wm. P. Maher, Willey Merrick, Jordan Merritt, Ernest Michelis, Ed Miller, Mitchel Moore, Isaac Newton, J. C. Paddison, J. C. Pattison, Fred Pierce, John Pigford, William Rivers (2), T. D. Sellars, Grant Singletary, F. L. Skipper, L. K. Smith, Furne Suggs, Martin Thompson, James Walls (2), Curlie West, Harvey White, McCabe Will, Wm. Webb, G. W. Willis, F. A. Williams, M. D.

RETURNED FROM DEAD LETTER OFFICE.

A. H. Hurst, S. Johnson, Mary Ellen Thomas, Hrttie W. Wright.

Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. C. DARBY, Postmaster.

Closing out sale of cameras, amateur supplies and picture frames at Taylor's Studio. †

For Asthma use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

NEW ISSUE, A. C. L. STOCK.

Reported in Baltimore That It Will Be at $125 Per Share—The Proportion to Stockholders.

Regarding the issue of new stock of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, authorized at the Richmond meeting about ten days ago, an Associated Press telegram last night from Baltimore says:

"The Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company is considering the issue of $9,260,000 of new stock. This is in connection with the financing of the purchase of the control of the Louisville and Nashville railroad. The proposed issue is to supply the $10,000,000 cash which is required as partial payment for this purchase. Such an issue means 92,600 shares of the par value of $100 a share.

"It is contemplated to sell this stock at $125 a share, and at this price it would yield the company $11,575,000 in cash, so that after paying the $10,000,000 the company would add $1,575,000 in cash to its surplus.

"The present stockholders of the company will be given the first chance to take this stock. An underwriting syndicate will take what they do not. The privilege would be to subscribe to the amount of 40 per cent. of their holdings."

Monday's Baltimore *Sun* says: "It was reported in local financial circles yesterday that the circular announcing the new issue of stock of the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company would be made public to-day. There was a well authenticated rumor that the stock had been underwritten at $125 a share, and that stockholders would be given the privilege of subscribing to 40 per cent. of their holdings at this price. As the stock sold in the open market at $157, it is estimated that the 'rights' on the new issue will be worth upward of $20 a share.

"The proceeds of the new stock will be used in financing the recent purchase of a majority of the stock of the Louisville and Nashville road by the Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company. It will be remembered that this company took over 306,000 shares of the Louisville and Nashville from J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. at $150 a share.

"Since this deal the Atlantic Coast Line stockholders have been anxiously awaiting the announcement of the privileges they were to receive in the contemplated new issue of securities."

NEW COAST LINE BUILDING.

Handsome Structure, Modern in Every Respect, Will Be Erected.

To replace its burned passenger station in this city, it is learned that the Atlantic Coast Line will erect a handsome three story stone and brick structure on the site of the old building and that the same will be ready for occupancy at the earliest possible moment

Plans, it is said, have been prepared for the new building, but they will not be made known to the public until approved by General Manager John R. Kenly. The new building will be much larger than the old one and will be strictly modern in every particular. It will be occupied by the ticket office, waiting rooms for passengers, general office of Purchasing Agent F. H. Fechtig and warehouse and store rooms of General Storekeeper A. H. Creasy.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— B. F. McLean, Esq., of Maxton, is in attendance upon the U. S. Court.

— Master George Carmichael, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Carmichael, is very ill with fever.

— Mrs. S. S. Drew and little son, Frederick, left yesterday to spend a part of the Winter in Wilson, N. C.

— Miss Erwin Bridgers, of Tarboro, returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit to friends in Wilmington.

— Mr. E. Sternberger, a prominent merchant of Clio, S. C., was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

— U. S. Assistant District Attorney Oscar J. Spears, of Lillington, arrived yesterday morning to be in attendance upon the Federal Court.

— Friends will regret to learn of the serious illness of Col F. W. Foster. His sister, Mrs. S. E. VanDyke, of Canton, Ohio, has arrived to be with him.

— Capt. Henry Savage, whose illness was noted in these columns a few days ago, has gone to Baltimore for treatment in Johns Hopkins Hospital.

— Friends will regret to know that Mr. James K. Collier continues very ill at the home of his parents on North Front street. Mr. Collier has not been entirely well since the accident which befel him in New York several months ago.

— Among the visiting attorneys who arrived yesterday to attend the Federal Court were Col. N. A. McLean and Robt. E. Lee, Esq., of Lumberton; Jno. Gilchrist McCormick and Jno. H. Cook, Esqs., of Maxton, and H. L. Stevens, Esq., of Warsaw.

Unearthed a Gold Dollar.

A negro employed in excavating for the underground system of telephone wires found a shining gold dollar, of the coinage of 1859, about three feet under the surface of the earth, near Second and Princess streets, Monday. He and his fellow laborers dug deep into the earth for further hidden treasures and sifted the sand in all that territory, but not another cent was found.

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Ladies' and Gent's Silk Handkerchiefs.
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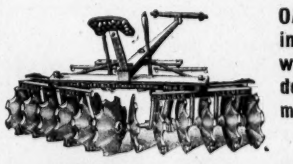

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L. B. Rogers, B. Solomon, B. H. J. Ahrens, R. R. Bellamy, Martin O'Brien, I. M. Bear, John H. Kuck, D. McEachern, C. W. Yates, J. G. L. Gieschen, Matt J. Heyer. no 23 tf

Colored Conference Coming.

The North Carolina Conference of the A. M. E. Zion church will meet with St. Luke's church, Seventh and Church streets, to-day. Bishop Lomax will preside and the Conference will bring to Wilmington several hundred of the most distinguished colored Methodists in the State.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lands Posted.

The privilege of hunting on my lands near Wilmington having been leased, all persons are hereby warned against shooting, hunting, ranging or otherwise trespassing on said lands.
nov 26 tf S. W. NOBLE.

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We are well supplied with competent barbers now; but we can accommodate a few more customers to whom we guarantee the very best attention. Call at the old Prempert headquarters.
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For terms apply to

Mrs. Annie DeRosset Harris,
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A large assortment of Richard Hudnut's Perfumes and Toilet Specialties at

J. H. HARDIN'S
Palace Pharmacy,
126 South Front Street.
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Important Notice.

We wish to inform our regular customers as well as the public at large that we have just received a consignment of Foreign Wines, which we offer to everybody at the following low price for a short time only:

Rhine Wine, Vintage	1898,	per gal.,	$1.00
Port "	" 1900,	" "	1.00
Claret "	" 1900,	" "	1.00
Port "	" 1890,	" "	2.00

Samples FREE at store.
Best Patent Flour, O. B., per barrel $4.50.
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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING. NOV. 26.

HANNA AND ROOSEVELT.

It is a good while yet before the next Republican National Convention will meet and there may be some important moves made on the political chess board before that time. If it were held now there is little doubt that President Roosevelt would be nominated, for he would be practically without opposition, but it is not so certain that he will not have opposition when the convention meets, and strong opposition, too. It points now, as far as the indications go, to Senator Hanna, who, although he has been noncommittal himself, is being freely mentioned by some, at least, of the anti-Roosevelt element of the Republican party. Senator Scott, of West Virginia, openly advocates his nomination, while it is confidently asserted that there is a combination of and an understanding among the leaders of the so-called "lily white" element of the party in the South to support Hanna as the most formidable man who could be pitied against Roosevelt.

The action of the lily whites, with the subsequent appearance on the scene of Postmaster General Payne, and General Clarkson (who is reputed to be Mr. Roosevelt's campaign manager in the South), taken in connection with the post-election removal of Collector Bingham, of Alabama, has mixed the situation badly for Roosevelt, and left him, so to speak, so that he doesn't know for a certainty "where he is at," and this mixes the whole situation as far as he is concerned because it makes possible combinations that might very seriously embarrass if not defeat him. It is this probably which has formed the basis of the following, which we clip from the Washington *Times*:

There is promise of an important announcement next week of the Administration's attitude toward the "lily white" movement at the South that will be final and definite. It is guessed by the wiseacres that a principal feature of this authoritative declaration on one of the most interesting political questions of the hour will be plain but mild opposition to the Payne plan for the reduction of Southern representation in Republican national conventions to a basis of the Republican vote in the several States of the South. Postmaster General Payne, who is also vice chairman of the Republican national committee, will be expected to give out an interview about the same time reiterating his well known contention for reducing the influence of the South in the Presidential conventions of his party to the actual strength of the party on the other side of the Potomac, and it is thought that this will be the last heard of the subject in prominent quarters for two or three years, or at least until the campaign of 1904 is passed.

Further, it is thought that Senator Hanna will feel called upon to submit a few observations on the question, in which he will commend the attitude of the Administration and give his close friend, the Postmaster General, a vigorous, but not vicious, whack on the knuckles. But for Mr. Hanna's strong stand, as is well known, Mr. Payne probably would have carried his proposition through the Republican national committee at its meeting in Washington six months before Mr. McKinley's last nomination.

Hanna has all along been opposed to reducing Southern representation in national conventions, and of course if he is disposed to encourage the scheme to boom him for the Presidency he will be opposed to it now, so that with Roosevelt and Hanna both opposed to it—the two candidates, if Roosevelt has opposition—there is little prospect of that thing going through. But there may still be nuts for the convention to crack, for it will undoubtedly be followed by two sets of delegates from several of the Republican States, white and black, and will be compelled to decide between the two, which will be a somewhat perplexing task. Reference is made to this in the following, which we clip from the Washington correspondence of the Pittsburg *Post*:

"The plot not only thickens, but the slow music is faintly heard, and a sniff is caught of the red fire. Under the revised and improved editions of the constitutions of the Southern States few negroes can vote, but many white Republicans are not disqualified. It was these Lilly Whites, whom the President has snubbed by removing from office their leaders, who had organized a white Republican party, believing that a presidential tip had been sent to that effect. Senator Pritchard, of North Carolina, was promoter-in-chief of the scheme, which sought to disrupt the solid South by realizing the theory that only the participation of the negro voter in politics kept the Southern white men out of the Republican party.

"The Senator is represented as resenting bitterly the tergiversation of the President. The bait of a national judgeship in a district to be created was dangled before his eyes and brushed aside. The revolt is on. Contesting negro delegations at a National convention will cause Mr. Roosevelt trouble. The Alger method of placating may suffice again, but the white delegations must be admitted, because representing the majority vote.

"How unfolds the denouement? Should Mr. Roosevelt continue his pyrotechnics about trusts and tariff revision the 'Old Guard' may rally around the flag of Mark Alonzo. Should he wind one note on his bugle, could Ohio fail to respond? How would work the McKinley leaven? Might it not leaven the whole lump? The gayety of 1904 cannot be quenched by cocksure predictions now."

The bait of a judgship for Pritchard has been mentioned by other Washington correspondents, so that there must be some foundation for that. But his name has been mentioned in connection with judgships before. It is said that he could have had the place which Judge Boyd now holds as successor to the late Judge Dick, but declined for various reasons, one of which probably was that he was committed to Boyd and could not honorably get in his way. If there were a vacancy now possibly he might have it, but there might be trouble then for how could the President placate the negroes of North Carolina, and of those Northern States where their votes are of much more importance, if he so favored and honored the defeated lily white of North Carolina?. Under the circumstances it does not seem quite practicable to honor Mr. Pritchard just at this time, so that the probabilities are he will hold his grip as a lily white, fall into the anti-Roosevelt combination, if there be one, and take his chances on making a better haul with a new man, Hanna, for instance, between whom and Pritchard there are said to be strong ties, so strong that Hanna was so anxious for Pritchard's reelection that he agreed to come into the State to help him and the only thing that prevented it was the conditions in his own State, where Tom Johnson with his circus was creating such a furor, that Hanna didn't deem it safe to get far away from home.

But there is another element referred to by the *Post* correspondent which may become a potent factor when the combining begins, an element that Hanna has always loyally stood by—the trusts and the beneficiaries of the protective tariff—neither of which he has antagonized and both of which would rally to him if it became a matter of choice between him and Roosevelt, so that it will be interesting to keep an eye on Mark Hanna.

OPPOSED TO TARIFF REVISION.

Senator Quay, who had a talk with the President Monday, informed him that he is opposed to tariff revision, and so we presume did Speaker Henderson, who also had a talk with him. Senator Quay represents one of the most highly protected State's in the Union, and is doubtless interested in some of the highly protected industries, as Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, who is also opposed to tariff revision, is interested in some of the protected industries of that State. They are looking simply to the interests of their constituents and to their own interests and lose sight altogether of the position taken by so many of the Republican leaders in the last campaign, when they promised tariff revision and legislation to curb the trusts.

That was the platform on which the Republicans of Speaker Henderson's State, Iowa, went into the campaign, and that was substantially the platform on which the party as a whole made the campaign, and to that they owe their success in electing a majority to the next Congress. There was but one leader of prominence who did not recognize this demand, Mark Hanna, and even he as the fight progressed said there would be tariff reform when the "proper time came."

If the Republicans had gone into the campaign with a pronounced declaration against tariff revision and trust legislation they would have been overwhelmingly defeated instead of saving themselves as they did by a majority reduced seventeen. The Quay and the Elkins brand of grabbers may ignore these pledges now, and others may show a disposition to forget them, but they will neither be allowed to ignore nor to forget, for there are some Republicans who are in earnest about these things who will insist upon faith being kept, and the Democrats in Cofigress are certainly not going to allow them to ignore or forget without a protest.

Hon. Thos. E. Watson, of Georgia, who has taken to literature since he retired from Populism, and has achieved both fame and fortune, announces his intention to write a history of the United States which will do justice to the South, as no written history has. In a lecture which he has been delivering in Geogia cities he cites, as illustration, a dozen or more important events in our history before and since the Declaration of Independence, for which credit is given to the North, but which belongs to the South. Northern men have written the histories and have largely *invented* the history.

President Roosevelt went into the Mississippi canebrakes looking for bears and found more deer than bear which wasn't the experience of a Rochester, N. Y. man who went into the Adironacks to hunt deer and found bear. The meeting was so sudden that he dropped his gun and shinned it up a tree. The bear very deliberately sat down on the gun and waited supplemental proceedings, but he waited too long for the stentorian yelling of the man up the tree brought another hunter to the scene, who shot the bear, which was so intently watching the fellow in the tree that he didn't notice what was going on in the vicinity.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

GIRL WOMEN.

The general standard of measurement for womanhood is "grown-up-ness." When a girl is emancipated from school and arrives at the dignity of trailing skirts and elaborate hair dressing she is looked upon as a young woman. But nature knows nothing of such standards. When the womanly function is established womanhood is attained according to her standards, and there is need of womanly care and caution. It is girlish ignorance or neglect at this critical time which often results in long years of after misery.

Mothers who perceive the evidences of functional derangement in young girls should promptly have them begin the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes regularity, tranquilizes the nerves and tones up the whole system.

"My troubles started during my girlhood," writes Miss Flora I. Greer, of 107 Howe Street, Akron, O., "but did not prove serious until 1893. From that time I did not see a well day. I suffered at every monthly period with terrible headache, irritation of the spine and pains in my heels. I had soreness through my hips and ovaries all the time and constant backache. One doctor would tell me one thing ailed me, another would say something altogether different, but they only relieved me. I then wrote you and followed your advice. I took five bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, four of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and five vials of 'Pellets.' Have not had a single symptom of my old trouble so far. Can sleep good, work hard, and eat solid and substantial food without distress."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the bowels and stimulate the sluggish liver.

A PROPER VIEW OF IT.

Washington dispatches inform us that England and Germany, which propose taking some joint action to force Venezeula to protect the rights of their subjects resident in that country, and to enforce the payment of claims due them, have taken the precaution to sound this Government to ascertain whether it will object to such a movement, and have been informed that this Government so construes the Monroe doctrine that it does not interfere with the collection of just claims, or punishment for violation of agreements, provided there be no attempt made by the acting nations to take possession of American soil.

That is, in our opinion, a correct interpretation of the Monroe doctrine, and puts other nations on precisely the same footing that it puts this country. It would certainly insist upon the right to protect American citizens in their personal and property rights and while doing so we could not draw the line and deny the same rights to other nations, nor could we claim, under that doctrine, the right to seize territory in any of those countries as indemnity for infractions of the rights of the American citizens or of the laws of nations so that the construction put upon this doctrine places other nation precisely upon the plane upon which we stand, a construction which should be satisfactory to them.

It is a construction, too, which will put those Central and South American Republics on guard, and may possibly save us a good deal of bother in the future. Some of them seem to have been imbued with the notion that this country stands as a sort of sponser for them, between them and the European nations as their protector and ready to espouse their cause if any of those nations strike at them. Of course, under these circumstances, with countries where the laws are so lax, so indifferently enforced, and where obligations hang so lightly, we were in constant danger of being embroiled with other nations, if the Monroe doctrine were not fully understood and its construction definitely announced, as it has been in this intance by our Government.

The State of Pennsylvania spends $23,000,000 on her public shools, not counting what is expended on private schools, normals and colleges. Each pupil in the public schools costs about $20 a year. The male teachers receive an average of $45 a month (not enough) and the female teachers a little over $33 (not enough). In the rural districts the pay is less than in the cities. Even at the lesser wages (for which there is no good reason) the women are taking the places of men who find more profitable employment in other lines of business.

It may be some consolation to people who cannot afford carpets to learn that carpets are great nesting places for various breeds of microbes.

CURRENT COMMENT

—— The statistics and official reports seem to prove that we may look for more casualties in a first-class football game in this country than ever develop from a first-class South American revolution.—*Richmond Dispatch, Dem.*

—— Should it prove to be true that Mr. Roosevelt's views concerning the race question and politics have undergone modification since his recent bear hunt, the logical deduction will be that he is smarting from Holt Collier's ill-concealed contempt of the Chief Executive's abilities as a hunter.—*Norfolk Landmark, Dem.*

—— With four hundred children registered in this city alone for treatment by the great Viennese specialist for congenital hip disease, the need for more specialists of our own in that afflicting disability would seem to be emphasized, and perhaps it will be found on examination that those who suffer in that way deserve a hospital all to themselves.—*New York Tribune, Rep.*

—— A dispatch from Anderson yesterday noted, among other things, that "two carloads and a half of gun cartridges and shells" have been sold by one firm in the town this year. Other towns have probably done nearly as well. The game and song birds of the State cannot last much longer at this rate.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

— Mrs. Hayrake—Our son Josh writes from the Philippines that he's tired of fighting and wants to come home. Mr. Hayrake—Gosh! I'll bet th' gosh-durned chump's been gettin' married.—*Puck.*

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck, and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Craig, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottles free. †

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

Jewel Steel Ranges

Like Jewel heaters and cooks, are the very best of their class. They are made by the celebrated

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R. H. BEERY & BLAKE,

WILMINGTON.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Greenville *Reflector*: Friday Mr. Allen Warren, of Riverside Nurseries, brought us three pears that are of the second crop this year in his orchard. The variety is Warren's ever bearing Leconte, and they are well developed and excellent flavor.

— Yanceyville *Democrat*: Jake Lea, colored, of the Leasburg section, was murdered near Danville last Friday by unknown parties. It is thought, we hear, that the old negro had money, and at the time had marketed his tobacco. He had only about two dollars on his person when killed.

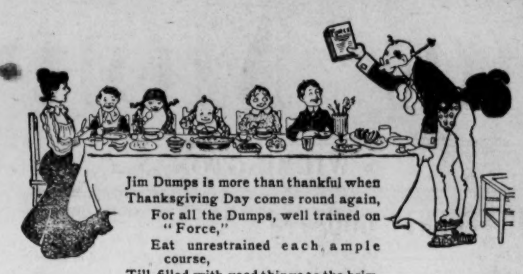
— Stanly *Enterprise*: The beautiful weather of the past few weeks has been a blessing to our farmers. It has given them an opportunity to sow their small grain, and in addition to this almost a full crop of cotton will be made, where only a half or slightly more would have resulted had cold weather set in earlier.

— Danbury *Reporter*: An immense meteor was seen to fall near Danbury last Saturday night by a number of citizens. Its size is said to have been as that of a nail keg, though some whose fears possibly lent exaggeration to their perspective, say it was tremendously large and with a tail half a mile long. No report has been received of the meteor since.

— Raleigh *Post*: Curator Brimley, of the State Museum, says the snake which escaped from one of the State fair "eat 'em alive" Midway shows and was captured and presented to the museum, is doing well and has become quite tame. It runs loose in Mr. Brimley's workship, being of a harmless variety—a bull snake, in fact—and takes its food freely from Mr. Brimley's hands. It took three large rats yesterday and swallowed them freely.

— Salisbury *Sun*: Mr. J. D. Barrier, of Concord, who is spending the day in Salisbury, brings with him a mechanical marvel, which is a pattern of one made while he was a captive of war at Newport News in 1863. The article in question is of wood composed of intricate links, cylinders, etc., all carved from one piece of wood with no break in the whole. The work was accomplished entirely with a pocket knife and has excited the admiration of all the mechanical experts who have seen it.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: John Gary, the negro convict who made a sensational escape from the county chain gang about a month ago, has been recaptured by some clever work on the part of Deputy Sheriff Monaghan. Since his escape, Gary has travelled extensively, going as far as north of Richmond, and each move he made was followed by Deputy Monaghan, who finally caught up with him at Halifax, in this State, last week and hadn im arrested. Deputy Sheriff Beard went after him and brought him back.



Jim Dumps is more than thankful when Thanksgiving Day comes round again,
For all the Dumps, well trained on "Force,"
Eat unrestrained each ample course,
Till, filled with good things to the brim,
"Give thanks for 'Force,'" says "Sunny Jim."

"Force"

The Ready-to-Serve Cereal

makes a thankful digestion.

Sweet, crisp flakes of wheat and malt.

Three Generations Eat "Force."

"The writer is one of three generations who start breakfast with 'Force.' It is an open question whether the children, grandma or myself could get along without it.

"JOSEPH M. GIBBONS."

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TWINKLINOS

— "It is said the meek shall inherit the earth." "But suppose Pierp Morgan leaves them out of his will?"—*Baltimore Herald.*

— "Joe, I've begun to think my wife doesn't tell the truth." "Why so, Bill?" "Well, she threatens every week to go back to her mother, but she never goes."—*Stray Stories.*

— Where is that mathematical phenomenon that was here last year? Wonderful the way he could juggle with figures." "Oh, he's left the stage and gone with a gas company."—*Life.*

— Mrs. Grady—Mrs. Dolan loikes her second husband betther than her first. Mrs. Dooley—An' phwy? Mrs. Grady—Shure, he's in jail so much she has nearly all she earns for herself.—*Judge.*

— "Birds of a feather flock together," said the man who quotes. "Don't hand me that chestnut about birds flocking together." "Why?" "Because I've just been duck hunting."—*Baltimore Herald.*

— Mrs. John—I can't see any sense in the way that young couple across the hall quarrel.—Mr. John—Give them time my dear—they will do it better when they have been married a week."—*Brooklyn Life*

— "I have a feeling that my country is calling me," said the would-be office seeker. "Perhaps it's only a twitch of your old rheumatism," replied his wife. "Get that liniment and rub yourself!"—*Atlanta Consttitution.*

— "Well," said the dishwasher to the new chef, "you certainly know how to stuff a turkey." "I ought to," answered the new head of the penitentiary kitchen. "I was sent here for stuffing ballot-boxes."—*Judge.*

— "Senator, do you believe in political independence?" "I do," the grand old statesman replied. "I have frequently declined to vote with my party when the other side had larger inducements to offer."—*Chicago Record-Herald.*

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 25.—Cotton: Spot quiet, prices two points higher; American middling fair 5.16d; good middling 4.70d; middling 4.60d; low middling 4.50d; good ordinary 4.38d; ordinary 4.26d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,300 bales American. Receipts 31,000 bales, including 23,200 bales American.

Futures opened firm and closed quiet; American middling (g o c) November 4.53d; November and December 4.45d; December and January 4.45 @4.46d; January and February 4.46 @4.47d; February and March 4.46d; March and April 4.46d; April and May 4.46d; May and June 4.46d; June and July 4.46d; July and August 4.45@ 4.46d.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., November 26

STEAMSHIPS.

Harbart, (Br) 2,149 tons, Bowling, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Hermiston, (Br) 2,839 tons, Bain, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Mountby, (Br) 2,113 tons, Payne, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Zambesi, (Br) 2,415 tons, Rooney, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Frederick Roessner, 326 tons, Cory, George Harriss, Son & Co.
R W Hopkins, 329 tons, Hichborn, George Harriss, Son & Co.
C C Lane, 303 tons, Kelly, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Estelle, 489 tons, Hutchenson, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Emily F Northam, 315 tons, Pennewell, to master.
Lizzie H Patrick, 419 tons, Henderson, to master.

BARQUES.

E S Powell, 558 tons, Jones, George Harriss, Son & Co.
From, (Nor) 699 tons, Andersen, Helde & Co.

Doesn't Respect Old Age.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever and Constipation all yield to this perfect Pill. Price 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY FOR THE BLOOD, LIVER, LUNGS.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, November 25.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 50½c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.30 per barrel for strained and $1.35 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.50 per barrel of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.00 for dip.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar firm at $1.35; crude turpentine firm at $1.10 @2.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	10
Rosin	29
Tar	59
Crude turpentine	32

Receipts same day last year—15 casks spirits turpentine, 84 barrels rosin, 132 barrels tar, 37 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7¾c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5½	cts. ₱ lb
Good ordinary	6⅜	" "
Low middling	7⅛	" "
Middling	7¾	" "
Good middling	8 11-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 7¼c for middling.

Receipts—3,093 bales; same day last year, 2,496.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolins, firm. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c; fancy, 80c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish (new), 65@70c.

CORN—Firm; 70@75c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 21@22c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 12½@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 10@11c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 60c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Money on call quoted firm at 4@5 per cent.; the market closing offered at 4@4½ per cent.; time money—60 days 6 per cent., 90 days 6 per cent., six months, 5½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5½@6 per ct. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.25 for demand and 483.60 for sixty days. The posted rates were 484@484½ and 488. Commercial bills 482.75@483.25. Bar silver 48. Mexican dollars 37½. Government bonds steady. State bonds weak. Railroad bonds weak. U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 108¼; U. S. funding 2's, registered, 108¼; U. S. 3's, registered, 108; do. coupon, 108¾; U. S. 4's, new registered, 135½; do. coupon, 135½; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 109½; do. coupon, 109½; U. S. 5's, registered, 103¾; do. coupon, 103¾; Southern Railway, 5's, 119. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 98½; Chesapeake & Ohio 46¼; Manhattan L 153⅝; New York Central 155¾; Reading 60⅝; do. 1st preferred 86; do. 2nd preferred 75¼; St. Paul 176½; do. pref'd, 190; Southern Railway 31⅜; do. pref'd 92; Amalgamated Copper ex dividend 55; People's Gas 100⅜; Sugar 118⅝; Tennessee Coal and Iron 56¾; U. S. Leather 12⅜; do. pref'd, 87¾; Western Union 88½; U. S. Steel 36⅛; do. pref'd 83¾; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 61⅛; do. preferred, 124; Standard Oil, 658@660.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 25.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 26@27; do. preferred, 44½@45; bonds, fours, 83½@84 asked.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Rosin firm. Spirits turpentine dull.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 25.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Nov. 25.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 50½c; receipts 1,797 casks; sales 1,870 casks; exports 115 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 4,311 barrels; sales 3,225 barrels; exports 310 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 40, E, $1 45; F, $1 50; G, $1 60; H, $1 80; I, $2 05; K $2 55; M, $3 00; N, $3 50; W G, $3 75; W W, $4 15

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The cotton market, after opening weak at a decline of four to eleven points on disappointing cables, reacted and advanced five to seven points from the low figures of the early morning. To have matched our conditions of yesterday Liverpool was due to report a gain of four to five points. Early cables, however, only reported an advance of three to four points, with the close reducing the net gain to one-half and one and one-half points. The market here very soon developed considerable strength, however, on bad weather reports; notably from Texas, where serious damage was reported from late rains with forecasts of a somewhat general freeze for to-night. Other parts of the cotton belt sent poor crop advices, which led shorts to cover and prompted considerable new buying interests on which the market advanced as indicated. The disposition to secure profits, however, once more became general and prices gave way sharply under active selling with supporting orders subsiding, partly because a private estimate appeared on the exchange pointing to a crop of 11,000,000 bales. The selling movement was still later checked by the disregard made by Southern spot markets to the speculative weakness shown at New York, New Orleans and Liverpool; two of the leading spot markets advancing ½ and two others 1 16. Towards the close of 'Change commission houses became pretty fair buyers, the movement of cotton not being upon a scale to fulfill the larger crop estimates with which the season commenced. The total sales reached 400,000 bales. The market closed steady at nine to fourteen points net decline.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Cotton quiet at 8 50c; net receipts 1,161 bales; gross receipts 8,552 bales; stock 91,622 bales.

Spot cotton market closed quiet; middling uplands 8.50; middling gulf 8.75c; sales — bales.

Futures closed steady: November 8.27, December 8.30, Jan'ry 8.32, February 8.22, March 8.25, April 8.25, May 8.26, June 8.26, July 8.29, August 8.13.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 76,599 bales; exports to Great Britain 21,220 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 25,881 bales; stock 857,780 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 171,201 bales; exports to Great Britain 66,298 bales; exports to France 12,000 bales; exports to the Continent 43,667 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 3,425,964 bales; exports to Great Britain 972,561 bales; exports to France 255,635 bales; exports to the Continent 1,037,270 bales

Nov. 25.—Galveston, steady at 8¾c, net receipts 22,376 bales; Norfolk, steady at 8 3-16, net receipts 4,657 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 8 60, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 3,093 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 8.75, net receipts 77 bales; Savannah, easy at 7 15-16c, net receipts 14,518 bales; New Orleans, easy at 8c, net receipts 26,312 bales; Mobile, easy at 7¾c, net receipts 2,252 bales; Memphis, steady at 8c, net receipts 2,265 bales; Augusta, firm at 8¼c, net receipts 1,586 bales; Charleston, quiet at 8c, net receipts 1,570 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Flour was steady but less active; rye flour steady. Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 78¾c. The options market was unsettled and easy half the session but firm in the afternoon on prominent Chicago support, rumors of insect damage in Indiana, covering and export rumors. Early selling motives consisted of weak cables, bearish Argentine news and large receipts. The market closed steady and unchanged; May closed 79⅞c; December closed 80½c. Corn—Spot weak; No. 2 63c at elevator and 64c f. o. b. afloat. Options market sold off at first under liquidation, increasing receipts, the wheat decline and lower cables. Rallying later on covering, the market finally eased off on a break in cash corn and closed ¼@⅜c net lower. Sales: January closed —; May closed 47⅜c; July closed 46¾c; November closed 63¼c; December closed 59½c. Oats—Spot steady, No. 2, 36c. Options were steady all day on a light movement; December closed 37c. Lard easy; refined easy; continent $11 15. Pork quiet: family $19 00 @19 25. Tallow dull. Rice firm. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5 3-15c; mild quiet; Cordova 7¾@12c. Sugar—Raw quoted firm; fair refining 3 5 16c; centrifugal, 96 test 3 13-16; refined firm. Potatoes firm; Long Island $2 00@2 30; South Jersey sweets $2 00@2 30; Jerseys $1 75@2 05; New York and Western per 180 lbs., $1 75 @2 00. Butter steady; extra creamery 28c; State dairy 20@26c. Cheese firm; new State full cream, small colored fancy, old 12¾@13c; ne w 12¾c; small white old 12¾@13c; new 12¾. Peanuts firm; fancy hand-picked 5; other domestic 3¾@5¼. Cabbages easy; Long Island per 100 $1 00@1 75. Freights to Liverpool—cotton by steam 12c. Eggs quiet; State and Pennsylvania average best 28@28½c. Cotton seed oil was unchanged, being firm on the spot and steady for forward delivery: Prime crude here nominal; prime crude f. o. b. mills 28@29c; prime summer yellow 36@37c; off summer yellow 35½c; prime white 40c; prime winter yellow 40@40½c; prime meal $26 50, nominal.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Wheat active and easier in the early session but later became rather dull, while prices were slightly better, the close being about steady with December ½c. lower. December corn closed ½c. lower and oats unchanged. January provisions closed from 2½c lower to 5@7½c down.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—Cash prices: Flour—Market steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 72½@73c; No. 3 spring 71c; No. 2 red 73¼@74¼c. Corn—No. 2 52c; No. 2 yellow 53c. Oats—No. 2 31½; No. 2 white 37@38c; No. 3 white 31¼@34c. Mess pork, per barrel, $16 75@16 87½. Lard, per 100 lbs., $10 37½@10 40. Short rib sides, loose, $9 00@9 25. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $9 37½@9 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $9 25@9 50. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 November 74¼; December 74¼@74¾, 74¾, 73¾, 74¾; May 75¾@76, 76¾, 75¾, 76¼c. Corn—No. 2 November 53c; December 52¾@52¾, 53¾, 52¼, 53c; May 42¾@42¾, 42¾, 42¾, 42¾c. Oats—No. 2 December, new, 31¾@31¾, 31¾, 31¼@31¾, 31¼@31½c; May 32, 32¼, 31⅞@32, 32½c. Mess pork, per bbl—January $15 60, 15 65, 15 55, 15 62½; May $14 62½, 14 67½, 14 57½, 14 67½. Lard, per 100 lbs—November $10 40, 10 40, 10 37½, 10 37½; December $9 80, 9 85, 9 80, 9 85; January $9 37½, 9 40, 9 35, 9 37½; May $8 70, 8 72½, 8 70, 8 72½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $8 05, 8 10, 8 05, 8 10; May $7 85, 7 87½, 7 82½, 7 87½.

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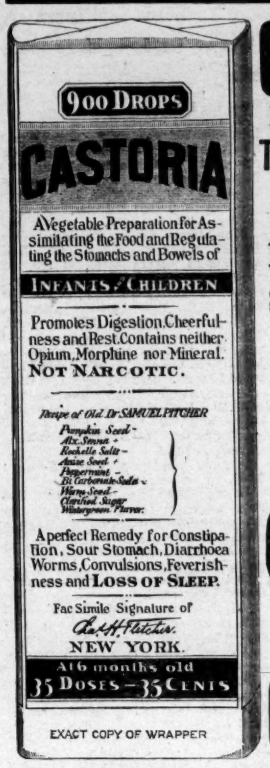
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RIGHTS AND DUTIES.

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Christian Scientists present themselves to the world as a people consistently following the teachings of Jesus, the accepted Master and Expiar of Christianity, rendering to God the things that are God's and to Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's. Their position is that of law-abiding citizens, enjoined to be scrupulously exact in observing the laws of the land, careful of the laws of their fellow-men, asking no more for themselves than they are willing to grant to others, and patiently to seek the religious liberty guaranteed to all men under the constitution of all free countries.

The first amendment of the constitution of the United States provide that

"Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof;" and further (14th amendment, Sect. 1), that "no State shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States.....nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws."

The essential features of these provisions of the Federal constitution reappear in the constitution of the several States, of which the following excerpt from the constitution of the State of Illinois may serve as an example:—

"The free exercise and enjoyment of religious profession and worship without discrimination shall forever be guaranteed; and no person shall be denied any civil or political right, privilege, or capacity, on account of his religious opinions."

In a majority of the progressive and enlightened nations of the world, some form of the Christian religion, the teachings of Jesus Christ, is prescribed as the religion of the State, in others Christianity is recognized as the prevailing religion of the people. The United States is within the latter class, because the great majority of our people profess some form of Christianity. We may therefore say that this is a Christian country, and no one should have the hardihood to dispute the right of any and every person to practice Christianity, or, as Webster defines it, "the system of doctrines and precepts taught by Christ."

No one at all familiar with the New Testament will deny that Jesus Christ taught his followers to heal the sick, that he used no material means in healing those who came to him, that he taught his followers to heal as he healed, and that his immediate followers healed without meterial means. It is therefore a fact that the religion of Christ includes healing without drugs or other material remedies, and this has been recognized, in some degree, by Christian teachers of all faiths. The establishment of this fact places Christian healing within the protection of the religious liberty guaranteed by the constitution. The fact that so-called material science has declared for a system of drugs does not alter the fundamental law of the land, nor does it give reason for invading the personal and religious liberty of the people.

A different phase of the question is presented, however, in the matter of reporting cases of so-called contagious disease, in keeping with the law or regulation which, subject to the above constitutional limitations, has been enacted with a view to conserve the public welfare, and so long as the law demands that such cases be reported, Christian Scientists should be prompt and unfailing in their obedience and give the public the benefit of any serious doubt which may attend the classification of disease. Respecting this our Leader has said:—

"On the subject of reporting contagion I have this to say: I have always believed that Christian Scientists should be law-abiding; and, actnated by this conviction, I authorized the following statement, which appeared in *The Boston Herald* about one year ago:—

"'Rather than quarrel over vaccination, I recommend that if, the law demand an individual to submit to this process, he obey the law; and then appeal to the gospel to save him from any bad results. Whatever changes belong to this century, or any epoch, we may safely submit to the providence of God, to common justice, individual rights, and governmental usages.'

"This statement should be so interpreted as to apply, on the basis of Christian Science, to the reporting of contagion to the proper authorities when the law so requires. When Jesus was questioned about obeying the human law, he declared: 'Render under Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's,' even while you 'render unto God the things that are God's.'"

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Mrs. Eddy advises that "until the public thought becomes better acquainted with Christian Science Christian Scientists shall decline to doctor infectious or contagious diseases."

The prosperity of our Cause, and the health and regeneration of mankind demand that all Christian Scientists shall be awake to every thought that quickens their spiritual perception. They must remember that "In Science, Divine Love alone governs man" (Church Manual), and steadfastly consecrate themselves to the service of God.

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Caustic Comment.

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Ten thousand kinds or more;
A cockroach on the bathtub's rim
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And it was nothing more.
—Chicago Tribune.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

Schedule in Effect Nov. 22.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington at 4.30 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5.44 P. M., Pembroke 6.10 P. M., Maxton 6.40 P. M., Hamlet 7.25 P. M., Charlotte 10.22 P. M.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5.01 A. M., Hamlet at 8.25 A. M., arrives Maxton 9.10 A. M., Pembroke 9.43 A. M., Lumberton 10.08 A. M., Wilmington 12.30 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	9.45 p m	7.40 a m
Ar Monroe	11.25 a m	9.15 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.35 a m
Ar Chester	12.51 a m	10.30 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.25 a m	12.37 p m
Ar Athens	2.32 a m	5.58 p m
Ar Atlanta	7.35 a m	4.00 p m

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SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	9.45 p m	7.35 a m
Ar Columbia	1.15 a m	11.30 a m
Ar Savannah	2.35 a m	4.55 p m
Ar Jacksonville	7.00 a m	9.15 p m
Ar Tampa	6.45 p m	6.00 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	7.50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.10 a m
Ar Norlina	3.32 a m	1.25 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Ar Norfolk	....	....
Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.40 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.45 a m
Ar Norlina	3.32 a m	1.35 a m
Ar Petersburg	5.53 a m	4.07 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.30 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.25 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 9.05 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.15 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 38, leaving Atlanta 1.00 p. m.; Athens 2.57 p. m.; Chester 4.15 a. m.; Charlotte 5.01 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.30 a. m.

From train 86 leaving Jacksonville 4.30 p. m.; Savannah 12.10 p. m.; Columbia 3.55 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 8.20 a. m.

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SUBURBAN LINE.

Winter Schedule, in Effect November 25th, 1902.

LEAVE FRONT AND PRINCESS STREETS

At *7:00, 9:00, *10:00, 11:00 A. M. *12:00, 1:00, *2:00, 3:00, *4:00, 5:00, *6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 P. M.

LEAVE WRIGHTSVILLE FOR WILMINGTON.

At *8:00, 10:00, *11:00 A. M. 12:00, *1:00, 2:30, *3:30, 4:30, *5:30, 6:00, *6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 P. M.

LEAVE WRIGHTSVILLE FOR OCEAN VIEW.

At 9:30, *10:30, 11:30 A. M. *12:30, 1:30, *2:30 3:30, *4:30, 5:30 P. M.

LEAVE OCEAN VIEW.

At 9:45, *10:45, 11:45 A. M. *12:45, 2:15, *3:15, 4:15, 5:15, *6:45 P. M.

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Schedule in Effect Sept. 15, 1902.

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DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.35 A. M., Lanes 11.26 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 9.10 A. M. No. 53—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.00 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.45 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. No. 48—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.31 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.18 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.55 P. M., Petersburg 5.45 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 6.55 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M. Baltimore 1.28 A. M., Philadelphia 4.05 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., *Boston 2.30 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.25 P. M. No. 52—Due Jacksonville 4.15 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M., Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M. Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.25 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.25 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 1.00 A. M., Jacksonville 3.40 A. M. St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. No. 40—Due Magnolia 8.32 P. M., Warsaw 8.40 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M. Weldon 1.50 A. M., †Norfolk 1.00 P. M. Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M. No. 41—From North Richmond.

DAILY 12.15 Noon. No. 56—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M. No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M No. 49—From North Richmond. Wilson

DAILY 7.30 P M No. 52—From Sanford. Fayetteville.

DAILY except Sund'y 11.45 P M No. 50—From Charleston Florence.

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Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 2 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	4 45	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 28	Kinston	10 13	.....
3 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 10
7 05	7 07	Morehead City	7 25	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.45 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 9.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 2 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 4.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 4.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 26.

SOCIALISTS DENOUNCE KRUPP

His Benevolence Ridiculed—Pension System Declared to Be a Species of Refined Swindling.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—The Socialist organ *Vorwaerts*, in a page and a half to-day, deals with what it calls the 'hypocrisy of idealizing Herr Krupp as a benevolent genius."

The paper does not touch on the immediate charges which it brought against the deceased, but analyzes the pension system of the Krupp firm, which it says is a "species of refined swindling," adding:

"The erroneous so-called benevolent funds have been built up by compulsory contributions from the employes, who could be arbitrarily deprived of participation in the advantages. They are required to contribute 2½ per cent. of their wages for twenty years before they are eligible to a pension upon disability. In the meantime, if an employe is discharged or resigns he loses all he has contributed, often exceeding $250. The employes are morally and economically terrorized and must in humility accept every petty regulation of the firm's officials or lose 2½ per cent. of what they have earned in the firm's service. This terrorism is applied to political opinions where they become known."

The paper also quotes the German budget committee proceedings as showing that the Krupp works have been charging the navy $100 per ton above what the United States pays for nickel steel plates, amounting to nearly $750,000 for Herr Krupp and the Stumm works.

DEPRECIATION IN SILVER.

Premium in Mexico on New York Exchange Continues to Advance—The Matter Under Advisement.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MEXICO CITY, November 25.—The premium on New York exchange continues to advance and to-day is 185; that is, two dollars and eighty-five cents in silver are required to buy one one American gold dollar. The large farmers in the interior and planters throughout the country say they do not care if the dollar falls to thirty cents, as only the city merchants and importers want gold. They urge that the depreciated silver keeps the dollars in the country and makes business good. Importers take another view and are generally refusing to make prices on machinery, supplies, etc., except in gold. Bankers realize that payments coming due will be made in dollars worth considerably less than when the money was loaned. The government has the matter under advisement, and advices regarding the adoption of a gold standard from Europe and the United States are being constantly received. The country is undeniably very prosperous, and there is a natural hesitation in taking radical measures which might give business a decided set back. One large bank made the New York rate 190 at noon.

THE ROUMANIAN JEWS.

Ambassador White Says the Atrocities Are Simply Horrible.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BERLIN, Nov. 25.—A private letter written by Ambassador White to Henry Seligman, of Frankfort, regarding the treatment of Hebrews in Roumania, appears in the *Frankfurter Zeitung* to-day. The letter, which was not intended for present publication, is in part as follows:

"The Roumanian atrocities are simply monstrous and startle the civilized world. I have just received the Roumanian bulletin. No document equals it in cruelty since the series of laws with which Louis XIV. persecuted the Huguenots. But even these, which have hitherto been regarded as the acme of cruelty, are exceeded by those in the bulletin. I cannot believe that right-thinking Roumanians or the civilized powers can allow this condition of things to continue. It appears to be open defiance of law, justice and common decency."

THEIR THROATS CUT.

Man and Woman Found in a Room at a Hotel in Texarkana, Ark.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TEXARKANA, ARK., November 25.—Lee Wigel and his wife were found in their room at the Cosmopolitan Hotel to-day with their throats cut. The woman was dead, but Wigel was still alive. A bloody razor lay on the floor near the bed. Wigel was taken to a sanitarium, where his wounds were dressed. He will probably recover. He is conscious, but refuses to make any statement.

About a week ago he went away, saying he was going to get married. He returned yesterday accompanied by a young woman whom he introduced as his wife, formerly Miss Marie Quinn, of Anniston, Ala. The couple took a room at the Cosmopolitan Hotel yesterday afternoon and it seems neither left it again. An inquest is being held.

EXECUTION AT LINCOLNTON.

Calvin Elliott, Negro, Hanged for Criminal Assault On a White Woman.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LINCOLNTON, N. C., Nov. 25.—Calvin Elliott, colored, was hanged here to-day for criminally assaulting Mrs. Caleb Brown, near here, about two months ago. After repeated unsuccessful attempts at lynching, a special term of court was called and the sentence of death passed.

At Greensboro, Ala., Monday night, Blunt's opera house, the Dorman building and several stores were destroyed by fire. The total loss is $54,500.

A Runaway Bicycle,

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, of Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn Ulcer, unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. Price 25 cents, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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THE CANAL TREATY WITH COLOMBIA

Considered By President Roosevelt and the Members of His Cabinet.

DEAD STOP IN NEGOTIATIONS.

Colombian Government Refuses to Accept the Last Proposition of the United States—State Department at End of Its Concessions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—The cabinet meeting to-day was devoted almost exclusively to the consideration of the status of reciprocity with Cuba and the canal treaty with Colombia. The hitches that have occurred in the negotiations were discussed, as also were the prospects of settlement. Secretary Hay, while presenting the subject of the canal negotiations to the cabinet, was not able to report that any progress had been made during the past week. In fact, it appears that the negotiations have come to a dead stop and while no such thing as an ultimatum has passed, the precise situations may be described in the statement that the Colombian minister here, Concha, has distinctly informed the State Department that he cannot, in behalf of his government, accept the last proposition of the United States as the basis of a canal treaty. The State Department has already let it be known that it has come to the end of its concessions, so the chances of a renewal of the negotiations in the near future are not very bright.

This state of affairs will stimulate the negotiations with Nicaragua and Costa Rica for the alternate route, but it now appears that the diplomatic representatives of these countries are not disposed to allow themselves to be used to coerce Colombia, and they are therefore desirous of remaining in the background until it shall be clearly established that no treaty can be made between Colombia and the United States.

One of the statements of fact in connection with the Panama route which has been brought to the attention of the State Department is that the original canal concessions will expire in 1904 and it has been suggested that the Colombian government has that fact in mind and is disposed to refrain from making a treaty now in the expectation that the franchise will lapse and it may thus be in a position to build the canal itself or sell a new concession. Such a course would raise a very serious question between the Colombian government, the Panama Canal Company, the French government and the government of the United States, as to whether or not a supplementary decree extending the concession ten years from 1904 was valid.

President Roosevelt laid before the cabinet his annual message to Congress in complete form. It was sent to the printer to-day.

SITUATION IN VENEZUELA.

President Castro Declares the Revolution Has Received Its Death Blow—Will Discharge All Obligations.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CARACAS, VENEZUELA, Saturday, Nov. 22.—President Castro, in an interview to-day, said:

"The revolution received its death blow at LaVictoria. In spite of superior numbers the rebels were defeated and their principal leader was compelled to seek refuge in a foreign land. The remnants and his forces under arms are not able to support each other and are being closely pursued. I receive news daily of the disintegration of Matacs' followers.

"A campaign has been inaugurated against Barcelona and Ciudad Bolivar by a strong and seasoned army, which assures it success. By the first of January I am confident I shall be able to officially proclaim peace.

"The government is resolved to execute in spirit and to the letter its declarations contained in the proclamation of November 3rd and to be liberal and magnanimous to its opponents, and the latter can have no reason to refuse it their loyal assistance. The policy of the government is broad and comprehensive and its aims are prosperity and contentment.

"Following the declaration of peace the government will discharge its just obligations and improve its credit and reorganize the fiscal system of the country. Every effort will be made to attract foreign capital, which is needed to exploit the rich agricultural, commercial and industrial resources of Venezuela. We trust the United States will participate in this exploitation. There will be ample guarantees for the security of funds invested.

"Venezuela entertains cordial and sympathetic friendship for and desires the closest relations with the United States, which has already signally opposed the aggression of foreign powers. The government is confident, that convinced of the justice of our cause, the United States will render Venezuela assistance in her future difficulties.

"Questions with European governments can be settled amicably if they have the same desire for friendly relations."

CONDITIONS IN HAVANA.

Test of the Ability of the Cuban Government to Maintain Law and Order on the Island.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—A cablegram received at the State Department to-day from Minister Squiers, at Havana, reports that the government is taking a firm stand and that the strike situation is better. Senor Quesada, the Cuba minister, called at the State Department to-day and talked over the situation with Secretary Hay. The conditions in Havana are being watched with the closest interest here, where it is believed that the ability of the Cuban government to maintain law and order and adequately safeguard the heavy investments of foreign capital at Havana is about to be subjected to a severe test. The interest of the United States in the matter lies in the fact that by the terms of the Platt amendment this government is made responsible for the maintenance of these safeguards in the event that the Cuban government itself fails.

At a meeting of the British Cotton Growing Association at the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, it was announced that F. S. Seevers, of Texas, had entered the service of the colonial office, under the auspices of the association, as an expert to commence cotton growing operations in Northern Nigeria.

INTERNAL REVENUE RECEIPTS

Commissioner Yerkes' Report—The Rebate Paid On Tobacco—Illicit Stills Destroyed—Arrests Made.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—John W. Yerkes, the commissioner of internal revenue, in his report for the fiscal year ended June 30th, 1902, says that the internal revenue taxes have been reduced $100,000,000 by the repeal of the war revenue laws. He estimates the total receipts from internal revenue for the current fiscal year will be $220,000,000.

Under the act of March 2, 1901, says the report, provision was made for the payment of a drawback or rebate on all original and unbroken factory packages of smoking and manufactured tobacco and snuff and cigars held by manufacturers or dealers on the first of July, 1901, and which rebate should represent the difference between the sum at which these goods had been tax paid and the rate of tax fixed by said act to be effective July 1, 1901. Under this law 49,364 claims have been paid in rebates, being $1,108,511.

The report shows that during the year revenue agents seized and destroyed 1,094 illicit stills and arrested 1,036 persons for violations of the revenue laws. During the time one agent was killed in a raid and two were wounded. One hundred and sixteen distilleries were reported for seizure during the year; 68,117 gallons of spirits were reported for seizure, the property involved being $153,894.

IN A HURRICANE.

Naval Tug Was Nearly Swamped Off Cape Hatteras.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 24.—The naval tug Hercules, which was sent out to find the coal barges were lost off Hatteras while being towed to West Indies waters, preparatory to the naval maneuvres, returned to the navy yard this morning without having located the barges, but with several of her steel plates badly buckled by a hurricane which nearly swamped her off Hatteras during Sunday and Monday. The Hercules, under the command of Lieutenant Castleman, encountered the gale Sunday morning and was driven far to sea before it. The waves swept over her time and again and her decks were flooded continually. The crew were unable to stand the exertion and some of them collapsed. No trace was seen of the barges.

SONS OF THE REVOLUTION,

Celebration of Anniversary of Evacuation of New York By British Troops.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The Sons of the Revolution held a meeting to-night, Charles R. Anderson, the vice president, presiding, to celebrate the one hundred and nineteenth anniversary of the evacuation of the city of New York by the British troops.

William Webster Ellsworth delivered an address, his subject being, "Captain John Smith and Old Virginia."

Secretary Ferris announced that Thomas S. Clay, secretary of the Georgia Society of the Sons of the Revolution, had sent to the New York Society a steel engraving of the Eagle which was presented to Major John Berrien, secretary of the Georgia branch of the Society of the Cincinnati, by George Washington.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

Bill for Its Creation Will Pass at the Approaching Session of Congress.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—President Roosevelt to-day informed Representative Hepburn, chairman of the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce, that he would appoint at once a representative from each of the government departments to confer with the committee as to the creation of a department of commerce. The department representatives will supply to Representative Hepburn's committee all information available concerning the departments that will be of any value to the committee.

Mr. Hepburn is confident that a bill creating the department of commerce will be passed at the approaching session of Congress.

WARM WIRELETS.

Colonial Secretary Chamberlain and Mrs. Chamberlain started from London for South Africa yesterday amid cordial farewells from a large gathering of friends.

Three oyster skiffs were capsized by a severe southwest squall at Morehead City, N. C., yesterday afternoon. All the occupants were saved except Dan Benson, colored, who was drowned.

J. E. A. Gibbs, the inventor of the Wilcox and Gibbs sewing machine and other inventions, died yesterday at his home at Raphine, Rockbridge county, Va. He was 73 years of age.

The Bancroft Bank, at Bancroft, Neb., was broken into by robbers yesterday, the safe was blown open and between $3,000 and $4,000 in cash secured. Considerable commercial paper was destroyed.

The White Star line steamer Oceanic and the American Line steamer Westernland, which arrived at Queenstown, Eng., last night, both report having encountered terrific weather during the past three days.

Col. Thomas Ochiltree died at Hot Springs, Va., at 1 o'clock yesterday of heart trouble. He been in a sinking condition since Monday morning. Arrangements for his funeral will be made by friends in New York.

The heavy ships of the North Atlantic squadron which are to participate in the winter manœuvres in the Caribbean sea arrived at Culebra, Cuba, yesterday from Hampton Roads. They are the Kersarge, Alabama, Massachusetts, Detroit, Cincinnati, Culgoa, Fortune and Machias.

The Democratic Executive Committee of Kentucky, has ordered a primary election for the nomination of all State candidates to be held May 9th, 1902. The calling of a primary is an innovation with the party in Kentucky, conventions having been held heretofore.

Former President Grover Cleveland has accepted an invitation to preside at a public meeting to be held in Philadelphia December 11, in the interests of the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School for colored people. Mr. Cleveland will make an address. Among the other speakers will be Booker T. Washington.

For Whooping Cough use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

NO SETTLEMENT OF CONTROVERSY.

Coal Operators Decide That Strike Commission Must Adjust the Differences.

WILL NOT MEET MITCHELL.

At the Meeting of Presidents of Coal Roads and Independent Operators It Was Agreed Unanimously to Go On With the Hearing.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, November 25.—A serious hitch occurred to-day in the plans for a settlement of the coal controversy by conference between the coal operators and the miners' union, and it is now almost certain that the final adjustment of the points at issue will be referred again to the coal strike commission.

At a meeting between the presidents of the coal roads and a large number of independent operators, a strong protest was entered by the latter against treating directly with the miners. An invitation to meet Mr. Mitchell at Scranton on Friday was declined peremptorily and it was agreed unanimously that in the judgment of the operators it was best, for the present, to go on with the hearing before the commission. The meeting of the independent operators and railroad officials lasted about an hour and at its close President Fowler, of the New York, Ontario and Western, said that President Baer, of the Reading, was preparing a statement. Later, the statement was issued and Mr. Baer left at once for Philadelphia.

After mentioning at the outset the names of the "private" operators present the statement given out by Mr. Baer says:

"They (the private operators) met the coal presidents who had signed the request to the President of the United States.

"They presented a protest against adjustment being made at this time, insisting that the principles involved were so serious and affected so many interests, that it was necessary now to have the commission hear all the facts and pass its judgment upon the whole controversy. Mr. Simpson, as chairman, read a paper, expressing their views and other gentlemen expressed decided opinions.

"In the midst of the conference, the request came from Washington to the operators of both classes to meet Mr. Mitchell and his associates next Friday morning, at 10 o'clock. The parties present, without dissent, instructed Mr. Baer to make the following answer:

"'The conditions are such that no substantial progress can be made by the suggested meeting. The general judgment of the operators is that it will be best for the present to go on with the hearings.'"

A Sudden Tetmination.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—All prospects for an understanding between the United Mine Workers and the coal operators outside the anthracite coal strike commission, came to a sudden termination late this afternoon, through the receipt of a dispatch to Wayne MacVeagh, representing the Pennsylvania Coal Company and the Hillside Coal and Iron Company, notifying him that at a meeting of the anthracite coal road men in New York to-day it had been decided not to grant an interview to Mr. Mitchell and his associates, which had been suggested for Friday next. The announcement, coming as it did after an all-day's conference in this city between Mr. MacVeagh and Mr. Mitchell and his associates, attended part of the time by Carroll D. Wright, in an effort to adjust some details of the proposed agreement between the operators and the miners, completely surprised every one here. From statements made by Clarence S. Darrow early in the day the impression has spread that a complete agreement would be affected at to-day's conference, but when the meeting broke up Mr. Darrow read to the newspaper men in the corridor outside his room in Willard's hotel a statement which made it clear that no final agreement had been reached and that no further conferences were likely. The statement was as follows:

"The conference to-day was simply a continuation of the conferences held at Scranton with precisely the same object—that of trying to reach a basis of hopeful discussion for an amicable settlement—Mr. MacVeagh had not been in Scranton since Thursday and some matters developed as to which a further conference might be useful before either the operators or the representatives of the miners approached the serious task of formulating a definite agreement for their signatures."

Messrs. Mitchell, Darrow and Lloyd left here at 6:50 over the Pennsylvania railroad for Scranton.

The Independent Operators.

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—The independent coal operators protested to-day to the coal carrying railroads against the proposed plan to settle differences with the Mine Workers' Union. The nature of their protest appears in the following statement which was given out this afternoon by C. D. Simpson, representing the independent operators:

Scranton, Pa., November 22, 1902.—Messrs. Baer, Thomas, Truesdale, Olyphant, Fowler and Walter, Presidents.—Gentlemen.—The undersigned individual coal operators whose product is carried over one or the other of your respective railroads, having learned that efforts are being made to effect a settlement of the questions now before the anthracite coal strike commission, of which the individual coal operators have been made a party, at the request of the commission, and a number of your corporations, beg leave respectfully to enter their vigorous protest against any such settlement to be made at this time and set forth the following among many reasons:

"1. We believe that such a settlement at this time and upon the basis suggested would forever establish the power and perpetuate the injustice perpetrated by the United Mine Workers.

"2. That such settlement would be, in the eyes of the public, a confession that we have heretofore been guilty of all the offences charged against us by the said mine workers.

"3. That we have, and believe that you have, such a perfect and complete defence to the allegations made by the complainants before the commission, that any money award the commission would render would be far less than the amount we understand that it is proposed to concede, especially to miners and their laborers.

"4. That aside from any money consideration, this commission, composed as we believe of men that are absolutely fair, unbiased, and of unusual experience and good judgment in their findings, will make such declaration as will for many years put a ban upon unlawful practices, oppression of non-union men, unjustifiable demands and other grievances that we have been suffering under since 1900, when the union first took possession of our property. If, on the other hand, this settlement be made now, when not a single witness has been called on our part or on our behalf, it will be an absolute and distinct surrender to the miners' union, and the troubles above referred to will not only be continued, but so magnified as to be absolutely unbearable.

"The hearings before the anthracite coal strike commission present the first opportunity that the coal operators have ever had of presenting their case before the general public, who are really an important third third party, since abstracts at least of these proceedings are published all over the United States and it is a duty that we owe to ourselves as well as to them to prove that the continued and repeated charges of injustice, barbarity and extortion are absolutely unfounded; all which the individual operators, at least, propose to do.

"The case as presented already shows such weakness that we believe they were almost disheartened when these suggestions for a compromise were made. We believe that any surrender on our part, which would be practically what this compromise would amount to, would be by far the most serious mistake ever made in the anthracite coal business.

The Central Labor Union last night decided to call off the strike and committees were appointed to inform the various unions of this decision. There probably will be a complete resumption of work to-morrow.

A MUTINOUS CREW.

Brig Jennie Hulbert in Hampton Roads Unable to Proceed on Her Voyage.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 25.—The New York brig Jennie Hulbert, is anchored in Hampton Roads with a cargo of asphalt consigned to New York from Maricaibo, Venezuela, and cannot proceed on her voyage on account of a mutiny among the crew. There are eight seamen on the brig and five of them have refused to allow the craft to go further until they are paid off. Captain Veasie and F. S. Pendleton, of New York, one of the owners, appeared before District Attorney Allan to-day with warrants for the arrest of the five men, but the attorney would not order such action on the grounds that the warrants did not comply with the statutes. Master Veasie claims the men shipped in New York for the voyage and that their term is not expired.

South Carolina is to have another million dollar mill — the Marlboro Mills. The plant will be located at McColl, and the capital stock is said to be $1,000,000. The corporators are E. Strudwick, of Richmond, Va.; T. B. Gibson, A. W. Morrison, Charles Iceman, Robert Chapman and J. R. Parker, of McColl; D. D. McColl and T. W. Bouchier, of Bennettsville, S. C.

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For Sale, together or separately, the horse and buggy formerly owned by the late Dr. Powers. Horse warranted sound and gentle. Apply to Dr. T. V. Moore, Phœnix, N. C. nov 25 1w*

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Grand Lodge Colored Masons of N. C., Salisbury, Dec. 9th. Dates of sale Dec. 8th to 11th. Final limit Dec. 20th. Rate $10.50.

North Carolina Conference A. M. E. Zion Church, Newbern, N. C., Nov. 26th. Dates of sale Nov. 24th, 25th and 26th. Final limit Dec. 3rd. Rate $4.25.

W. J. CRAIG,
Approved: Gen'l Passenger Agent.
H. M. EMERSON,
Traffic Manager.
nov 15 tf

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, North Carolina, in a cause therein pending wherein James M. Galey et al. are plaintiffs, and Joshua H. Galey et al. are defendants, the undersigned commissioner will at 12 M., on Thursday, the 4th day of December, 1902, at the Court House door of said county, sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, all the lot of land and premises situate in the City of Wilmington, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southern line of Brunswick street 55 feet west of the western line of Seventh street, and running thence westwardly along said southern line of Brunswick street 55 feet; thence southwardly parallel with Seventh street 66 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Brunswick street 55 feet, and thence northwardly parallel with Seventh street, 66 feet, to the beginning, being part of lot 1, in block 266, in the City of Wilmington.

Dated and posted this 29th day of September, 1902.

J. M. McGOWAN,
Commissioner.

A. J. MARSHALL, Attorney for Plaintiffs.
S. M. EMPIE, Attorney for Defendants.
no 12 4t we

Executor's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as Executors of the last will and testament of C. E. Dorothea Harlem, late of the county of New Hanover, deceased, hereby notify all who are indebted to the estate of their Testatrix, to make early payment, and all having claims against said estate to present the same, duly authenticated, either to the undersigned, or to their attorneys, Bellamy & Bellamy, at their offices in the City of Wilmington, on or before the 29th day of October, 1903, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This the 21st day of October, 1902.

ELIZABETH VOLLERS,
C. B. BELLOIS,
Executors of the last will and testament of C. E. Dorothea Harlem.
oct 22 6t we

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Rubber Boots,

Besides Rubbers of all kinds.

DOUGLAS SHOES,

More popular than ever. A good lot in; more daily expected, and several orders being made up at the factory, to be delivered as soon as possible. Likewise, with

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People tell us daily that these goods combine more desirable features than any Shoes they ever saw at the prices. A trial will convince the most skeptical. Other styles and kinds at all prices, as CHEAP as the CHEAPEST and as GOOD as the BEST.

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63½ steps from corner Front and Princess.
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Coffee, Sugar, Rice and Mullets

Ask for samples and prices.

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nov 11 tf

New Winter Goods

Sold at Closing Out Prices.

Some of the large factories in New York and Baltimore are now clearing out their Winter Goods to make ready for their Spring business.

There, knowing that we were able to handle goods in large quantities and paying cash for them, we have been able to pick up lots at almost half price. We have just bought 25½ dozen ladies and children's beautiful new winter styles in ready to wear hats, which we will offer at about half price. 100 hats we will sell for 75 cents. $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00 hats will all be 89 cents and 98 cents.

A beautiful line of children's sailors in scratch felt at 50, 69 and 75 cents.

Furs—Furs. We have to-day received a large shipment of Furs.

Nice collarettes with three tails full length with clasp chain at 98 cents each.

A genuine Martin fur at $2.75.

A Mink fur at $2.50.

A Coney fur at $1.75.

Some very handsome long furs at $4.98.

A beautiful line of muffs at $2.75 and $3.98 each.

Our Cloak Department is well supplied with pretty new garments.

We have received to-day one case Monte Carlo coats, a pretty light shade of tan brown in the latest styles that we are selling for $5.75. Monte Carlos in Orford grays at $6.00.

Some very pretty ladies' coats for $3.98.

Chidrens coats in all sizes and prices. Some as low as 98 cents, $1.25 and up to $5.00. In our Dress Department, Mr. Jenkins and Mr. Jones are making some wonderful improvements. They are working together to improve this stock and keep all the new things to show.

Received to-day 36-inch Percale in pretty Fall colors, in short pieces; regular 12½c goods; our price 10c. Some handsome Windsor Percales at 12½c.

Thirty-six-inch wide Sacking Flannels for house dresses, worth 15c, for 7c per yard. Some beautiful Outing for children's Cloaks; regular 10c quality, for 8c a yard.

Nice Table Covers cheap; 8-4 Damask Linen Covers, with assorted borders, for 65c each; 7-4 Turkey Red Covers, with fringe, for 48c each. Extra large Huck Towels, 44 inches long, for 12½c each.

A splendid line of Turkey Red Table Linen for 25c per yard. An elegant quality of yard wide Bleaching at 5c per yard; 1,000 yards splendid Sea Island Sheeting at 5c; Rockingham Homespun 5c per yard.

A new lot Tricot Flannels, in light shades, at 25c per yard.

Fine Dress Goods Suitings. Our Broadcloths are selling fast. Best quality, 54 inches wide, at 98c per yard; 38 inches wide heavy Storm Serge, absolutely all wool, at 50c per yard. A full line of all-wool Coverts, in all colors, at 45c and 50c per yard.

Received to-day, a large shipment of splendid Underskirts. We claim the best line in the city, to sell from $1.00 to $2.50 each. Ladies' heavy Melton Walking Skirts, with Flounce bottom, at $1.50. Ladies' Skirts, with inverted seams, at $2.98. Ladies' Silk Waists, good quality, all Taffetta, nicely tucked, at $2.98.

In good quality colored taffetta at $2.25.

Ladies and children underwear. We have an extra large stock, and we are selling lots of it but we have a plenty for you.

Beautiful bleached vests in all sizes 4 to 9 at 25c. each.

Heavy fleeced black vest, nicely made at 48c. each.

Children's pants and shirts as large as 20 in size at 10c. each. In our hosiery, department we have received several cases direct from mill which we are offering at 5, 10, 15 and 20c.

Our boys double knee and sole stockings, absolutely fast black, 10c. pair or 3 pair for 25c. Our ladies hose at 12½c. a pair, are extra value.

In men's fancy hose in pretty colors, we have one job of 135 dozen worth 25c. we are selling at 15c. or 2 for 25c.

The Big Racket store is filled full of pretty goods. We have had a big trade all the fall and expect to have bigger from now till Christmas.

Our stock will be supplied with holiday goods of all kinds. We want your trade, and offer every inducement. We give away presents with cash purchases.

Wilmington's Big Racket Store,

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For Men are the best wearers and more stylish than any other Men's Shoes known to the American people. Prices for Vici Kid and Pat. Calf $5.00, Pat. Kid and Pat. Colt $6.00. For sale only by

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